K&K FORM (5/00)

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

& Petition To Extend - TRANSMITTAL FORM (37 C.F.R. § 1.114)

DOCKET NO. 11129/2

APPLICATION SERIAL NO.

₩447,319

EXAMINER Hani M. Kazimi ART UNIT 3624

APPLICANT(SE

Michael GOOC

JAN 0 5 2004

2CE 7

Address to:

Mail Stop RCE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

GROUP 3600 12/24/2003 SZEMDIE1 00000095 110600

770.00 DA 86.00 DA 36.00 DA

02 FC:1201 03 FC:1202

This is a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 (RCE) of pending application Serial No. 09/447,319 filed on November 22, 1999, entitled SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR TRADING INSTRUMENT.

The following constitute(s) the submission required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(a) and is (are) attached: X Amendment in response to the Final Office Action mailed on July 31, 2003 (attached). Other Submission:

The filing fee for this RCE and the required amendment/submission is calculated below. 1. The fee below is calculated based on the status of the claims after the entry of the attached amendment/submission. The fee for any new additional claims is included with this RCE, the fee for previously entered additional claims having already been paid.

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	MINUS	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT NUMBER EXTRA*	RATE (\$) PER CLAIM	FEE (\$)
BASIC FEE		* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *		76.		770.00
TOTAL CLAIMS	22	0	20	2	18.00	36.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4	0	3	1	86.00	86.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM	0	0	0	0	290.00	0.00
	2.7			Number extra must be zero or larger	TOTAL	892.00
	If Applicant is a small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27, then divide total fee by 2, and enter amount here.			SMALL ENTITY TOTAL		892.00

Express Mail No.

U.S. Patent App. Ser. No. 09/447,319 Attorney Docket No. 11129/2

- 2. Please charge the required RCE and Submission filing fee of \$892.00 to the deposit account number 11-0600 of Kenyon & Kenyon.
- 3. This is also a Petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) by which Applicant(s) respectfully request(s) a two-month extension of time to extend the time to respond to the Final Office Action dated July 31, 2003 from October 31, 2003 to December 31, 2003. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) extension fees, which are believed to be \$420.00, to the deposit account number 11-0600 of Kenyon & Kenyon.
- 4. The Commissioner is hereby authorized, as necessary and/or appropriate, to charge payment of any other fees (including any additional and/or extension fees) required, associated with this communication or arising during the pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to the deposit account number 11-0600 of Kenyon & Kenyon.
- 5. **Two duplicate copies** of this Transmittal Form and Petition are enclosed for the above purposes.

Date:

Aaron C. Deditch

Respectfully submitted,

(Reg. No. 33,865)

KENYON & KENYON

One Broadway

New York, New York 10004

(212) 425-7200 (telephone)

(212) 425-5288 (facsimile)

CUSTOMER NO. 26646